



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police  
CAP Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 9/20/2017-UPDATE

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 8-19-2017

Time: 8:27 a.m.

Location of Offense/Incident: R/O 945 E. 15<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Zone: 4

Precinct: 5

Incident Report #: 170719658

Cruiser District: 50

Victim: Ricky Darthard

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 16

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Shaiquon Marquel Sharpe

Address: Youngstown, Ohio

☒ Arrested

☒ Warrant on File

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 20

Charges: Murder

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

**Incident Summary:** On August 18, 2017, at approximately, 8:21 a.m., Patrol was called to respond to the rear of 945 E. 15th Avenue, where they discovered the victim, Ricky Darthard, that had died as the result of gunshot wound(s). A medic responded and pronounced the Mr. Darthard at scene. Detectives interviewed several individuals at scene, but obtained very little information. The investigation continues.

This is the 82th Homicide in Columbus, Ohio in Calendar Year 2017.

Anyone with any additional information on this incident is encouraged to call the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at 645-4730 or Crime Stoppers at 645-TIPS (8477).

## UPDATE:

The suspect, Shaiquon M. Sharpe, was arrested by Youngstown, Ohio PD on unrelated charges. He is also now charged with Murder for the death of Ricky Darthard. The investigation continues.

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